Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management Texas State Operations Center

Situation Awareness
Brief

Sunday, September 9th 2018 As of 0900 CST

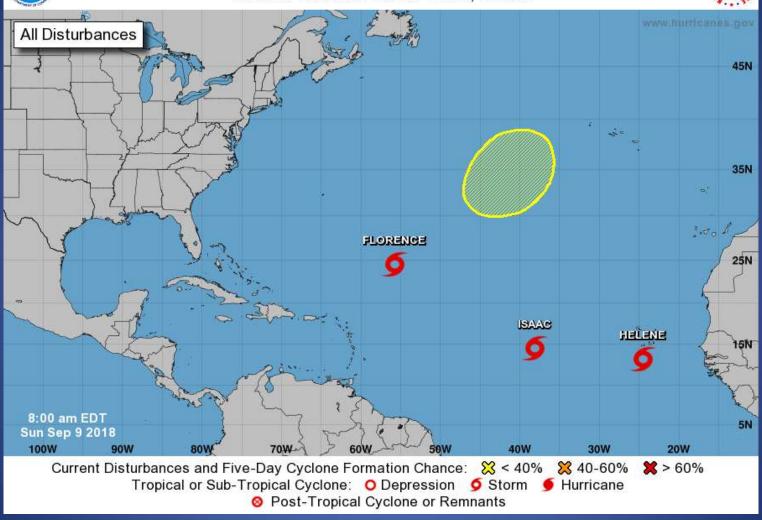
Tropical Weather Awareness



Five-Day Graphical Tropical Weather Outlook



National Hurricane Center Miami, Florida



For the North Atlantic...Caribbean Sea and the Gulf of Mexico:

The National Hurricane Center is issuing advisories on Tropical Storm Florence, located over the west-central Atlantic Ocean, on Tropical Storm Helene, located just south of the Cabo Verde Islands, and on Tropical Storm Isaac, located over the eastern Atlantic.

Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
09/08/18	Silver Alert Activation	Harrison County	N
09/09/18	Final Report on the Road Closure in the Town of Tenaha	Shelby County	Υ

Informational Products Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT	
09/08/18	NWS Fort Worth - Heavy Rainfall Threat This Weekend	
09/08/18	West Gulf River Forecast Center Continued Heavy Rain/Flood Threat	
09/08/18	NWS Austin/San Antonio- Heavy Rainfall with Localized Flash Flooding Possible this Weekend	
09/08/18	Tropical Storm Isaac Advisory Number 5 1600 CDT	
09/08/18	NWS Midland/Odessa Public Information Statement of Rainfall Totals	
09/08/18	NWS Midland/Odessa Public Information Statement for Rainfall Reports	

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DATE	SUBJECT	
09/08/18	Tropical Weather Outlook 1900 CDT	
09/08/18	NWS Fort Worth Public Information Statement Rainfall Reports Since Midnight	
09/08/18	NWS San Angelo Hydrologic Statement for California Creek at Stamford	
09/09/18	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Sunday, September 9, 2018 for FEMA Region 6	

Weather Forecast

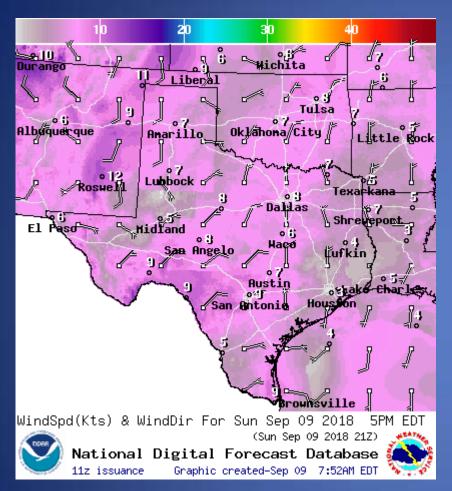




Highs

Lows

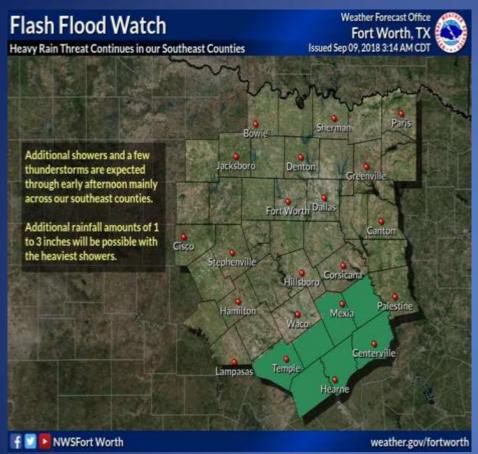
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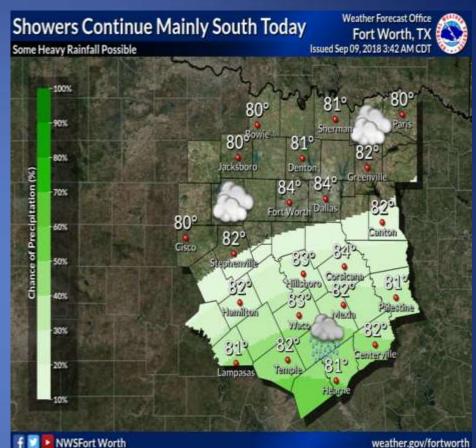


Wind Speeds

Gusts



A Flash Flood Watch continues for portions of Central Texas through midday Sunday. Slow-moving showers and a few thunderstorms will be possible through the morning hours. An additional one to three inches of rain will be possible in some areas. A Flash Flood Watch means that conditions are favorable for heavy rain which may lead to flash flooding.



Scattered showers and perhaps a few thunderstorms will continue today mainly south of I-20. Some heavy rainfall will be possible southeast of a Killeen to Waco to Athens line which could result in some flooding of low lying areas. Skies will remain mostly cloudy with high temperatures only in the lower 80s.



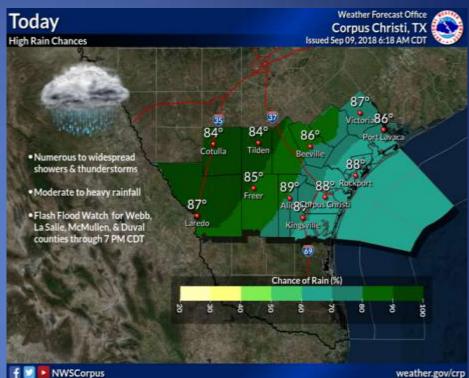
A Flash Flood Watch has been issued for Zapata, Jim Hogg and Starr and continues until 7 AM Monday morning. Deep tropical moisture and an approaching weak cold front will allow periods of showers and thunderstorms to develop across the area, with locally heavy rainfall expected across mainly the western areas. Monitor the latest weather conditions and prepare for flooded roadways.



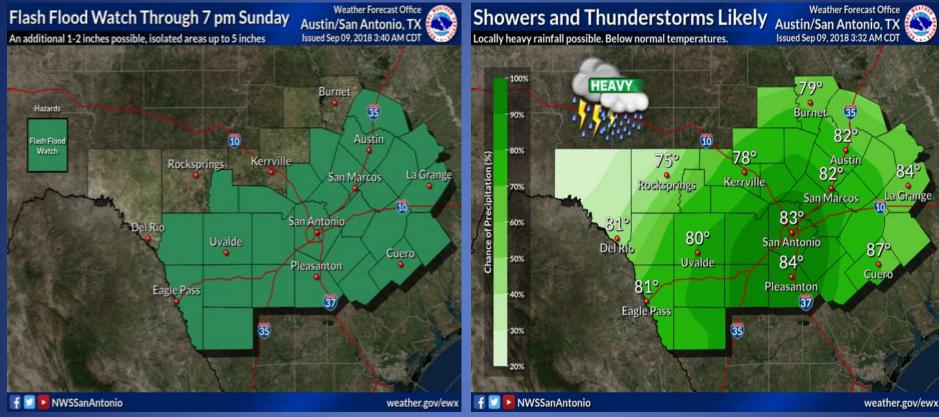
Rain and thunderstorm chances will be expected today across deep south Texas and the lower Texas coastal waters. Chances are best to the west where additional heavy rainfall may be possible. Highs will trend in the mid to upper 80s into the 90s today with mostly cloudy skies. Gulf seas could become locally agitated under thunderstorms.



The flash flood watch remains in effect until 7PM for Webb, La Salle, Duval, and McMullen counties. Rainfall amounts between 2 to 3 inches with locally higher amounts will be possible in the watch area through this evening.

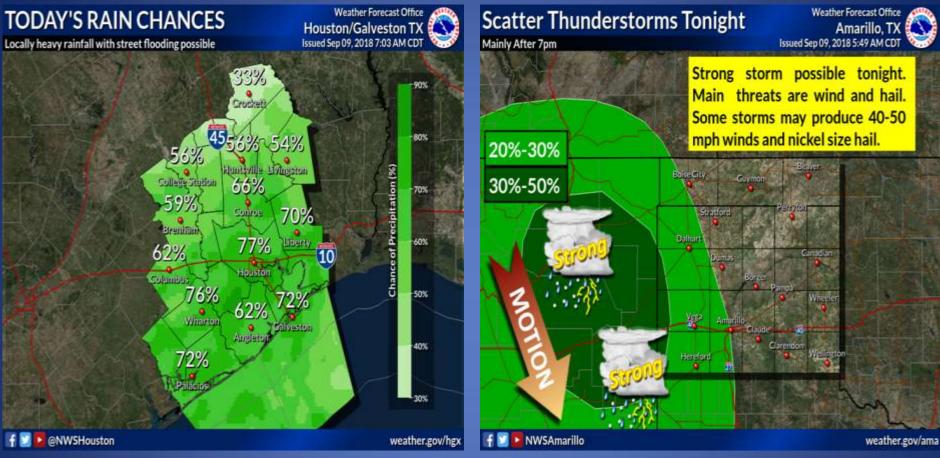


Numerous to widespread showers and thunderstorms will continue spreading across South Texas today. Moderate to heavy rainfall can be expected. A Flash Flood Watch is in effect across the Rio Grande Plains and western Brush Country through 7 PM CDT. Additional rainfall is expected tonight.



A Flash Flood Watch is in effect through 7 pm Sunday evening. An additional 1-2 inches of rain is possible with isolated amounts up to 5 inches. Use extra caution outside today and if you are driving and encounter flooded roadways, turn around, don't drown.

Periods of scattered to widespread showers and thunderstorms are likely today. Locally heavy rainfall is possible. It will also be mostly cloudy with below normal temperatures.



Showers and thunderstorms will be possible today with locally heavy rainfall. Street flooding may be possible from the heavy rainfall. Strong storms possible tonight for mainly western parts of the Texas Panhandle. Widespread severe weather is not expected. Best chances are between 7pm and 11pm.

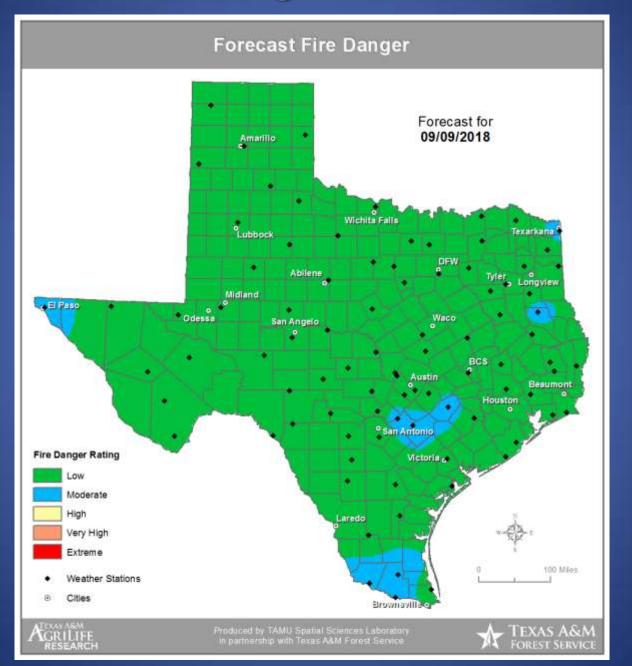
Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
09/08/18	Flood Warning	Devils River At Bakers Crossing 19N Of Comstock Affecting Val Verde County; White Rock Creek at Greenville Ave Affecting Dallas County; Bandera, Dimmit, Kinney, Maverick, Real, Tarrant, Uvalde and Zavala Counties.
09/08/18	Flood Advisory for Minor Flooding in Poor Drainage Areas	Dallas, Ellis, Erath, Hamilton, Hood, Johnson, Mills, Palo Pinto, Parker, San Saba, Somervell and Tarrant Counties
09/08/18	Flash Flood Warning	Trinity River affecting Dallas County Nueces River near Asherton Dimmit County; Bandera, Dimmit, Kinney, Maverick, Real, Tarrant, Uvalde and Zavala Counties
09/08/18	Flood Warning Extended	Devils River At Bakers Crossing 19N Of Comstock Affecting Val Verde County; Frio River Affecting Uvalde County; Rio Grande above Presidio affecting Presidio County; Flood Warning Continues for Rio Grande at Laredo affecting Webb County
09/08/18	Flood Advisory	Concho, Dimmit, Maverick, Menard and Tom Green Counties
09/08/18	Small Stream Flood Advisory	Dimmit County

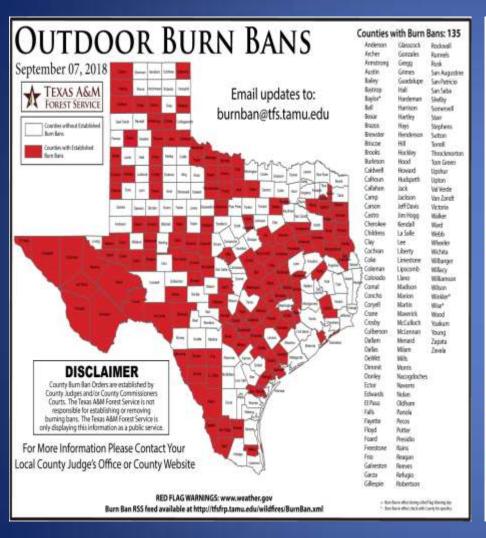
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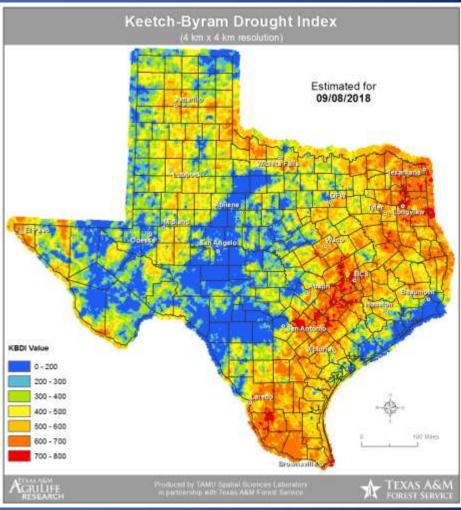
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09/08/18	Arroyo and Small Stream Flood Advisory	Central Zapata County
09/09/18	Flood Advisory	Atascosa, Bandera, Bastrop, Bexar, Caldwell, Comal, Duval, Frio, Guadalupe, Hays, Karnes, La Salle, Live Oak, Medina, McMullen, Travis, Webb, and Wilson Counties
09/09/18	Flood Watch	Coryell, Lampasas, McLennan
09/09/18	Flash Flood Warning	Bexar and Comal Counties
09/09/18	Flood Warning Continues	Rio Grande above Presidio in Presidio County

Fire Danger Forecast



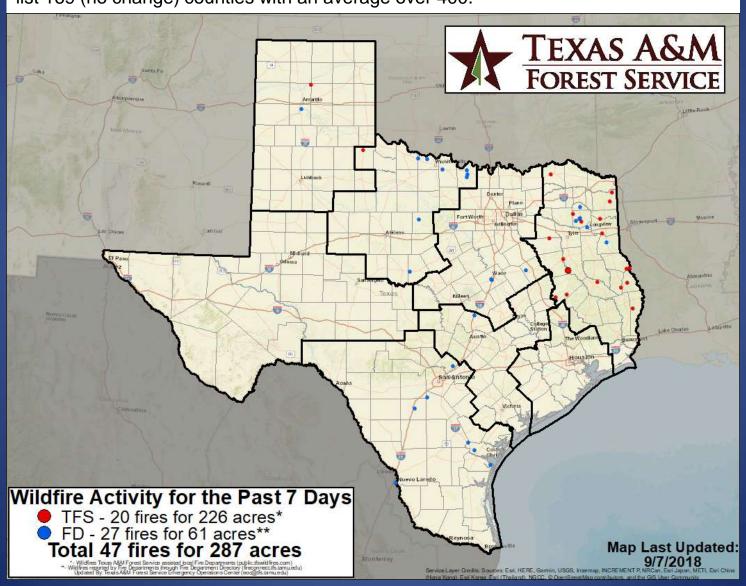
Burn Bans and KBDI INDEX





Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 965 (no change) fires and 231,345 (no change) acres destroyed this year. There are 135 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch–Byram Drought Index list 169 (no change) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
07/26/18	09/13/18	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Euless
09/07/18	09/09/18	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	New Braunfels
09/08/18	09/09/18	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Houston

Exercises

DATE(S)		AGENCY/LOCATION	EXERCISE
09/09/18	09/09/18	City of Alvin	Drill: Alvin Drill 2018

Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
09/06/18	09/15/18	Longview	Gregg County FESTIVAL